Massachusetts Fire Training Council Firefighter Practical Certification Examination

Sk	cill Sl	heet No.	FF-I- 404	01-01-05 Candidate Number		er					
Skill Title: ACCORDION SHOULDER CARRY											
N.	FPA	Objective:	5.5.4	N	Minimum to pass	13					
PERFORMANCE:										F	
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	1. 2.	All Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) is properly worn. Positions hose on ground flat and straight.									
	2. 3.	Picks up hose just behind coupling and advances toward the opposite end									
	<i>J</i> .	stopping at center.									
	4.	Picks up an additional segment of hose with same hand keeping hose under									
		coupling.									
	5.	Advances to other coupling.									
	6.	Picks up second coupling holding fold with one hand and picking up									
		coupling with other.									
	7.	Places both couplings on fold holding all four layers just behind both									
	8.	couplings with both hands. Advances to opposite end of folded hose.									
	9.	Lays down carried fold and couplings on top of the two end loops.									
	10.	Aligns all folds and couplings.									
	11.	Shoulders hose by squatting near center of folded hose and placing flakes									
		flat on shoulder.									
	12.	Lifts using legs and not back muscles.									
	13.	Carries hose to destination as directed by the examiner.									
	14.	Unloads flake from shoulder by grasping hose just behind couplings.									
	15.	Flips hose off shoulder, retaining grasp on couplings.									
	16. 17.	Gently places couplings on ground. Completes accordion shoulder carry.									
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Failure of this critical portion is cause for entire skill failure									
Examiner Signature									